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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4, relative to the use of special license plates by repeat DUI offenders under certain circumstances.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-403, is amended by adding the following to subsection (d)(4):

(C) If the court orders the issuance of a restricted motor vehicle operator's license pursuant to this subdivision (d)(4), then the court shall also order such person to obtain a license plate from the department of safety for each vehicle equipped with the required interlock device. Each such license plate shall be yellow with red letters and must remain on the vehicle or vehicles for the entire period such person is driving on the restricted license or for one (1) year, whichever is longer. The offender shall be required to bear the cost of such plate or plates at the price to be determined by the department of safety.

SECTION 2. For the purpose of producing the license plates required in Section 1, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act shall take effect on July 1, 2005.